

ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER.

MONEY AND FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, August 5.—The Post's financial article says: The Wall street market continues quiet, and to-day generally firm. Reports in regard to the revival of trade and the steady recovery of the great industries from the depression of the panic are assuring. Government bonds are steady and firm, and prices generally a fraction higher than yesterday. State Bonds, at the first Board, were strong, with sales confined to Tennessee, Missouri and North Carolina sixes, issued to North Carolina railroad companies. Railroad bonds are also strong and moderately active. Money 3/8 per cent for call loans; 5/8 and 7/8 for prime mercantile paper; Gold paper 5/16 per cent for prime mercantile. Time loans of money, on approved collateral, are quoted as follows: Sixty days 4 per cent; up to December 1st 5 per cent, and up to the close of the year 7 per cent. At these rates no difficulty is experienced in getting almost any amount. Banks are stronger now than they have been for several years, and there is every reason to believe that the money market will work at last comfortably for borrowers during the remainder of the year.

Gold opened at 109, and has since sold at 109 1/2. On Gold loans the rates have been 2 per cent for carrying. Foreign exchange is quoted for business at 187 1/2, and 490 for prime bankers' bills on London.

The Stock market opened irregular, but in the main prices were higher. During the first hour there was an advance of 1 1/2 per cent, except Wabash, St. Paul and Pacific Mail, which were highest at or near the opening. Since 11 o'clock prices have declined, and as we write are at lowest of to-day.

Alexandria Market, August 5, 1874.

Flour, Fine	4 00	4 30
Superfine	4 75	5 00
Extra, old Wheat	7 25	7 75
new do.	6 75	7 25
Family	8 00	8 50
Family choice	8 75	9 00
Wheat, common to fair	1 10	1 20
Fair to prime	1 30	1 40
Good to prime	1 40	1 55
Prime to choice	1 55	1 88
Corn, white	0 88	0 90
Mixed	0 88	0 90
Yellow	0 88	0 90
RYE	0 55	0 58
CHICKENS	2 00	4 00
BUTTER, prime	0 25	0 25
Common to middling	0 12	0 15
EGGS	0 14	0 15
IRISH POTATOES	0 90	1 00
BACON, Hams, country	0 13	0 14
Western	0 17	0 18
Sides	0 12	0 13
Shoulders	0 10	0 10 1/2
LARD	0 14	0 15
PLASTER, ground, per ton	7 50	0 00
Ground, in bags or barrels	9 50	0 00
Ground, in bags, returned	8 50	0 00
Lump	4 50	5 00
SALT, G. A. (Liverpool)	1 20	1 40
Fine	2 20	2 40
Wool, common unwashed	0 35	0 40
Washed	0 40	0 45
Merino, unwashed	0 30	0 35
Merino washed	0 45	0 45

REMARKS.—The market for old Wheat Flour is firm, with a light stock, while new Flour is arriving freely. Wheat is in better receipt, and the market remains at yesterday's quotations; offerings of 1908 bushels, with sales of white at 121 and 127 for fair, and red at 110, 120, 135, 136 and 131 for common to good, and 133, 135, 136 and 138 for very good to strictly prime. Corn is in light receipt, and the market is steady; offerings of 428 bushels mixed, with sales at 90; Oats are firm, and prices have advanced 3 to 50; offerings of 396 bushels, with sales at 55 and 58.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, AUGUST 5.

Sun rose	5 7	7 Moon rises	11 34
Sun sets	7 5	High water	10 00

ARRIVED.

Steamer Lady of the Lake, Norfolk, to F. A. Reed.
Steamer Pilot Boy, Curriam, to F. A. Reed.
Schr Elwood Barton, Boston, to American Coal Co.
Schr Flying Scud, Havre de Grace, to W. A. Smoot.

SAILED.

Schr Steadway, Boston, by American Coal Company.
Schr B. W. Hill and Catharine W. May, hence, at Boston 30th.
Schr Howard Macawber, for this port, sailed from Darien 30th.

CANAL COMMERCE.

Arrivals.—Boats Richard Bender, Sharpley & Bush, William Gregory, Thomas Patton, G. L. Booth, A. S. Wintington, Dr. Elison, Peter G. Uhl, Busy Bee, M. B. Corso and E. F. Ridge, way to American Coal Co.; Van Lear, Sprigg, C. Kingley and G. P. DeWitt, to Hampshire and Baltimore Coal Co.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA.

To the Sergeant of the City of Alexandria:—Whereas, John H. Russell, if he be found within your bailiwick, to appear at the Clerk's office of our Corporation Court for our said city of Alexandria, at the Rules to be held for said Court, on the first Monday in September next, and to plead to a declaration of ejectment filed, with the proof of service of notice thereof, by the City Council of Alexandria against him, and have then there this v. r. Damages \$500.

Witness, Morton Marrye, Clerk of our said Court, at the City of Alexandria, this 1st day of August, 1874, and in the 99th year of the Commonwealth. A copy, to-wit:

MORTON MARRYE, Clerk.
Chas. E. Stuart, Atty. for Corp. Aug 5-w4w

WAXI, WAXI, WAXI—I have this day received another supply of Wax, suitable for fruit cans and jars, in quantities to suit all. W. FRANKLIN CRIGHTON & CO., 85 King street, Aug 5

CHOW CHOW AND MIXED PICKLES, by the gallon, quart and pint. Just try it once. For sale at 147 King street, Aug 5. W. F. BROOKES.

YORKSHIRE RASH, the best and cheapest Sauce in the world, for sale at 147 King street, Aug 5. W. F. BROOKES.

NEW GOODS.—Townsend's Sarsaparilla, Frey's Vermifuge, Pond's Extract, Conner's Liniment, Licorice Paste, Gum Tragacanth, Cincho-Quinine, Sulphate Cinchona, Fennel Seed, Wildor's Cod Liver Oil, Wolff's Sennaps, Winslow's Soothing Syrup, Vegetable, Hamburger Drops, English Wine of Colchicum Root, Zollicoffer's Kneumetic Medicine, Liniment Anodyne and Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, just received and for sale by J. JANNEY & CO., Aug 4

OFFICE ALEXANDRIA WATER CO., August 4, 1874.

The stockholders of the Alexandria Water Company are hereby notified that the fifth instalment of two dollars per share on the old stock of the company has been ordered by resolution of the Board of Directors, to be paid to the Treasurer, at the office of the company, on or before the 15th instant.

aug 4-twd T. D. FENDALL, Sec'y.

ORANGE BLOSSOM COLOGNE WATER. We have just prepared and bottled for sale another supply of the above delightful and popular perfume. It is put up in bottles of three sizes, at 25c, 50c and \$1, respectively, and has been pronounced by many of our customers as fully equal to the best imported Cologne Water, while it is sold at less than one half the price. aug 3 JANNEY & CO.

WATERMELONS. A full supply of the best and freshest WATERMELONS and CANTALOUPES always on hand and for sale at the cheapest rates at the foot of King street by PHILLIPS & CO., aug 3-tt

N. O. I. MACKRELL and Potomac Herring for sale by (Jy 28) J. C. MILBURN.

LOCAL NEWS.

POTOMAC FRUIT GROWERS.—The monthly meeting of the Potomac Fruit Growers' Association met in Washington yesterday.

Stacy Snowden presented a fine lot of apples. Judge Gray presented a handsome lot of Hale's early peach, and said it was ripening in good order—very little rot. Last fall he removed the mounds of earth around the trees, and deposited lime and some ashes about the trunks.

The Chairman thought this peach should be set in rather poor soil; the trees should be advanced well by superficial enrichment, but should not be cultivated after they had reached their full growth and development.

Judge Gray would not have the soil too poor. His criterion would be in the crop. That soil which would grow an ordinary crop of corn is the best for fruit.

Mr. Saunders thought the climate had most to do with the yield of fruit, and to judge best, we should go by the statistics of several successive years.

This much was agreed to and advised: After the orchards are grown retard a further rapid development of wood, and thus out the fruit every year. By so doing a better average will be maintained.

General reports affirm immense crops of fruit in the Potomac region. Grapes are, however, not so plentiful as last year in some parts of neighboring Virginia.

POLICE REPORT.—The following cases have been reported at police headquarters since yesterday afternoon:

Oliver Webster, for abusive language to Elizabeth Whetter, both colored, was fined and discharged.

George Carson, John Walen and Pierce Nolan, for disorderly conduct and fighting at the grocery of Martin Lawler, were fined and discharged.

Henry Kleindast, who appeared for his wife, for assaulting S. Wilson, was dismissed, as was also the complainant Wilson had whipped Geo. Kleindast and Mrs. Kleindast had whipped Wilson for doing so.

Thornton Taylor, colored, for assaulting Thomas Beach with a rock, was fined for throwing stones to the street.

W. T. Perrin, supposed to be laboring under temporary aberration of mind was locked up in jail.

Charles Smith, colored, committed to jail as a suspicious character, was examined and recommended.

J. W. Wilson, Thomas Henry, John Millen, Calvin Gwynnes and J. Wikerson, all for disorderly conduct, were fined and discharged.

George Clutcheater on complaint of George Bossart, for disorderly conduct, was discharged with a reprimand.

The above cases were before the Mayor.

Matilda Jackson, colored, for stealing articles of jewelry from the residence of J. W. Burke, was committed to jail for thirty days by Justice French.

MEETING OF S. F. E. CO.—A very full meeting was held last night, Henry J. Novett occupying the chair in the absence of the President and Vice Presidents, and Harry C. Clark secretary. The equipments of all the members was duly inspected, as required by the by-laws, and three, who were not properly equipped, or who had failed to pay their assessments, were dropped from the roll; the cases of others, whose friends presented excuses, being laid over. One new member was elected, and seven gentlemen were proposed for membership. The vote by which the resignation of a member had been accepted at the last meeting, was, at his request, reconsidered, and the resignation laid upon the table, thus restoring him to full membership. This old company is now in a very flourishing condition, and the engineer, Mr. Young, who thinks of nothing else but how to make it more efficient and useful to the community, is always adding something to the house or furniture. Last night the secretary found an elegant new desk in place of the little stand he had been using.

INFRACTION OF INTERNAL REVENUE LAWS. Deputy U. S. Marshal O'Neal arrested yesterday and brought to this city this morning J. F. Smith, of Purcellville, charged with selling tobacco and liquor without the proper licenses; and Samuel Banks, who lives between Hamilton and Purcellville, charged with selling liquor without the proper license. They were taken before U. S. Commissioner J. S. Fowler, who held Smith and Banks under bonds for their appearance at the next term of the U. S. District Court in this city, and continued the case of Hill in consequence of the absence of an important witness.

THE MARY WASHINGTON.—A notice of the first trial trip of the new steamer Mary Washington appeared in yesterday's Gazette. The new boat made another trip in the afternoon. Under seventy pounds of steam and fourteen revolutions per minute she made Fort Foote in fifteen minutes and Collingwood landing in thirty minutes. On her return she made sixteen revolutions per minute with seventy pounds of steam. The stockholders in the company owning the new steamer, the families and a large invited company will make a trip down the river on her to-morrow, leaving here at half-past nine o'clock in the morning.

DEATH OF A VENERABLE MAN.—A correspondent of the Washington Star, writing from Falls Church, says: "Nicholas Lewis Sewell died at Falls Church, Va., Monday. Had Mr. Sewell lived until October next he would have been eighty-six years old. He has been an invalid for full two years. He was born in St. Mary's county, Md., and moved into Fairfax county, Va., in 1812. He was the head of one of the oldest families in this part of Virginia."

ASSAULTED.—While Mr. James Christy was on his way home from the Strand last Monday evening, he was assaulted by three colored men, two of whom he knocked down, and just as the third one had raised a brick with which to strike him a friend appeared, who, thrusting his hand in his pocket, drew out what really was his pocket-book, but the assailants thinking it was a pistol, ran off as fast as their legs could carry them.

I. O. O. F.—The members of Potomac and Sarepta Lodges of this city, contemplate paying a fraternal visit to Loudoun Lodge of Leesburg, on the night of Saturday the 15th inst., and returning the same night. Persons other than members of the Order can avail themselves of this opportunity of visiting Leesburg. The fare for the round trip will not exceed \$1.50, and if many go will not be that much. Ex-Mayor Latham will have charge of the affair.

AGED LOVERS.—Yesterday during the session of the Episcopal Convocation, now in progress at Accokeek Church, Prince George's county, Maryland, the services were interrupted by the entrance of a colored man, aged 96 and a colored woman 108 years old, who had walked a long distance to reach there for the purpose of being married, and yet did not have their desires gratified, because they had no license.

THE PEABODY SCHOOL BUILDING.—Mr. B. F. Price, to whom the carpenter's work was awarded, and Messrs. Javins & Clark, the contractors for the brick work, commenced operations yesterday. Messrs. Markell & Hammerdinger, the contractors for the plastering, will begin to-morrow. The work will be pushed in order that the house may be ready for occupancy by the 1st of September.

ATTACKED ON THE HIGHWAY.—As the carriage belonging to the Episcopal High School was on its way home from the city, night before last, a colored man named Jim Page stopped it and drawing a revolver attempted to shoot the driver, a colored man named Frank Ball, the only one in it—but his pistol snapped and Ball, lashing the reins, drove by the assailant and escaped. A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Page.

CORPORATION TAXES.—As will be seen by an advertisement elsewhere in to-day's Gazette, the city tax collectors give notice that if the delinquent taxpayers, whose property is to be sold for arrears of taxes, don't settle within ten days after notices are served upon them, they will proceed at once to seize the personal effects of such delinquents.

TRIPLETS.—On Wednesday last there were born to Daniel Bailey, aged 62 years and his wife, aged 40, colored people living three miles south of Fairfax station, on the Virginia Midland Railroad, three healthy children, all of whom were alive and kicking on Friday last, when the reporter's informant left that neighborhood.

MORE THEIVING.—A colored girl named Mary Jane Mason, employed as a servant at the Theological Seminary, was arrested by Constable Howard, brought to the city and locked up in jail until she can be carried to Fairfax Court House, charged with stealing \$86.50 from another servant there, an old man named uncle Nathan.

LICENSES.—The Commissioner of Revenue has within the last two or three days been engaged in looking up sample sellers and peddlers, and intends to make all such take out the proper license or cease practicing their vocation. The tax on the former is \$100 and on the latter \$50 in addition to the Corporation tax.

CORPORATION COURT.—The August term of the Corporation Court, Judge E. M. Lowe to preside, will commence on Monday next. The term will be solely occupied with chancery causes and motions.

LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

Mr. James Hedeman, who is to furnish the transportation for the engineers employed to survey the short line connection between the Potomac and Ohio rivers, left this morning with his wagons for Quantico, where the survey is to commence.

The sheep Samuel Flethian while getting underway yesterday afternoon, after being launched at the ship yard, ran against some of the owner's pigs there and knocked overboard a small colored boy who was, however, speedily rescued.

The Ichthyophagous (fish eating) club of Washington, on the Government tug boat Rialto, stopped here an hour or two this afternoon, on their way to Chesapeake Bay for a week's vacation.

A little girl twelve years of age on her way from Mason, to New York died in a sleeping car before she reached Lynchburg yesterday, and the party she was with had their pleasure trip terminated sadly.

Rev. Dr. Walker of the Theological Seminary near this city, will officiate in the Church of the Messiah in Baltimore during the month's absence of the pastor of that Church, Rev. Mr. Pickett.

Fine messes of good sized white perch are now caught by anglers early every morning at Fish-tow with live minnow and sturgeon spawn bait.

Watermelons continue to arrive in large numbers from the patches on the banks of the Potomac and sell at from \$6 to \$15 per hundred.

Letters addressed to Charles Ranie, Lynchburg, and J. F. Zirkle, Forestville, Va., are detained in the Post office here for want of postage.

The Old School Baptist association will meet at 10 o'clock next Wednesday morning at Broad Run, on the Manassas Branch of the Va. Midland Railroad.

Warrants were issued this afternoon for the arrest of a large number of people charged with keeping dogs without license.

Adams Express will commence to night to run a night as well as day line on the Va. Midland Railroad.

As the Danville train that arrived here this morning passed through Orange Court House the house of Mrs. Frey was on fire.

The M. E. Church camp meeting near Thornton's station W. & O. R. R. is but slimly attended.

Persons just returned from some of the Springs report the weather as there too cold to be comfortable.

The total flour inspections in Georgetown for the month of June and July were 19,848 barrels.

A match game of base ball was played here this afternoon by the Independent club and a picked nine.

Large colored excursion parties left here to-day for Warrenton and Carlin's Springs.

The nights are now so cool that windows are lowered and blankets used.

THE MOST MISERABLE BEINGS in the world are those suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint. More than seventy-five per cent of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effect, such as sour stomach, sick headache, habitual constiveness, impure blood, heartburn, water brash, gnawing and burning pains at the pit of the stomach, yellow skin, coated tongue and disagreeable taste in the mouth, coming up of the food after eating, low spirits, &c., &c. Go to the Drug Store of HENRY COOK & CO., and get a 75 ct. bottle, or a sample bottle for 10 cts. Try it.

G. G. GREEN, Solo Manufacturer, je 22-e68 Woodbury, N. J.

PUBLIC SALE.—Will be sold on MONDAY, the 15th day of August, at 10 o'clock, at the house of Herman Latoun, on Alfred st., near the Friendship Engine House, all his HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy a distant warrant and attachment in my hands.

JOHN R. GRAY, Alexandria County Constable, aug 5-ts

WELCH'S FLOUR. We have the agency of JAS. S. WELCH'S well-known FLOURS.

A stock of his BEST FAMILY, also COLUMBIA MILLS FAMILY and EXTRA always on hand.

Also a general stock of VIRGINIA FLOUR—Family, Extra and Super—suitable for grocers or bakers' trade. Give us a call. BECKHAM, DELAPLANE & CO., aug 4-1w No. 27 King street.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

(SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.)

Steamboat Burned. CINCINNATI, Aug. 5.—The telegraph operator at Aurora, Indiana, reports that the steamer "Pat Rogers" was burned this morning one mile below Aurora, and about twenty lives lost, the victims being principally ladies.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 5.—The particulars of the disaster to the steamer Pat Rogers, near Aurora, Indiana, are coming in slowly. From those already received it appears that several barrels of cotton, which formed part of her cargo, caught fire about five o'clock this morning, from, it is supposed, sparks from the chimneys, and the boat was burned to the water's edge. Both boat and cargo, the latter consisting of cattle, sheep, and hogs, besides cotton, were a total loss. The passenger register and all the books are destroyed. The boat was valued at \$60,000, and insured in Cincinnati for \$32,000, and in Louisville for \$5,000. The value of her cargo has not been ascertained. The names of the lost, so far as ascertained, are J. H. Stuart and Mrs. Smith, of Madison, Indiana; W. C. Brown, of Cincinnati, son of H. H. W. Brown, of the Union Line Transportation Company; Charles H. Dittman, pilot; Shirley Snyder and Jacob Light, of the crew.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 5.—The following named persons are also missing and supposed to have been drowned: Charles Reswiger, stoker; Mier Montz, barber; and several lady passengers whose names are unknown. Mrs. Tuttle and child, of Harrison, were drowned.

Man Killed. CINCINNATI, Aug. 5.—At Falmouth, Kentucky, on Monday last, Gus Lightfoot shot and killed G. L. Abernathy, acting town marshal of that place. The people were excited. At the local option election Lightfoot met the Rev. B. T. Robbins, a local option man, and during a quarrel between them Lightfoot drew a pistol and fired at Robbins, who knocked aside the pistol with his cane, but the ball struck Abernathy, who was approaching in the line of duty to quell the disturbance. Lightfoot was arrested.

Political Excitement. NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 8.—The approaching county conventions throughout the State are causing a great deal of excitement. Party lines in many counties are being closely drawn on account of the civil rights bill. The contest in this county between the Democratic and Conservative nominees on one side and the Independents on the other, will, it is believed, cause both parties to have Unionists and ex-Confederates on their ticket.

Decree Entered. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 5.—A decree has been entered in the United States Circuit Court in the case of the Franklin Savings Fund Society, against Cyrus Cadwalader for the conveyance of all real estate held by him or by others in trust for him to assignees in bankruptcy, and conveyances are being prepared as rapidly as possible, and it is expected they will be completed during the present week.

The Libel Suit Dismissed. NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—The suit brought by Gaynor against Tilton for libel again came up before Justice Riley in Brooklyn to-day. The complainant was present but both Tilton and his counsel were absent. Gaynor stated that as the Beecher-Tilton case was now to be taken to a higher court he would withdraw the complaint and Justice Riley accordingly dismissed the case.

Savings Institution to be Closed. PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 5.—The managers of the Franklin Institution for savings, which was crippled last fall by the Sprague failure, have decided to allow the Institution to go into the hands of a receiver and be closed up. Complications arising from the death of Edwin Hoyt in New York have precipitated this result.

Specie Shipments. NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—The steamship Russia for Europe, to-day, took \$700,546 in specie, of which \$650,000 was gold coin, and the remainder silver.

Anti-Monopoly Convention. ST. LOUIS, Aug. 5.—The anti-Monopoly convention will meet in this city to-day, for the purpose of nominating a State ticket.

Weather Probabilities. WASHINGTON, Aug. 5, 11 a. m. For the Middle States, falling barometer, rising temperature, east to south winds, clear or partly cloudy weather.

The Markets. NEW YORK, August 6.—Stocks dull and a little lower. Money on call 2 per cent. Gold 109 1/2. Flour steady. Wheat a shade firmer. Corn advancing.

BALTIMORE, August 5.—Virginia 6s, pebbles, 33 1/2; Virginia, consolidated, 52; West Virginia 10. Cotton a shade firmer; low middlings 16. Flour more active, but unchanged. Wheat active, but unchanged. Corn dull and weak; white Southern 88 1/2; yellow Southern 81; Western mixed 77. Oats dull and heavy at 60 1/2; Western mixed 58; do. white 60 1/2. Rye dull and lower at 75 1/2. Hay unchanged. Provisions strong. Coffee quiet and steady; fair to prime cargoes 19 1/2 to 22 1/2.

CENTRAL COAL AND WOOD YARD, NORTH COLUMBUS STREET, Two Doors from King.

To arrive per schooner Gilbert Green, a cargo of WHITE ASH COAL, Egg, Stove and Nut sizes, of good quality. For sale from vessel or yard.

Keep on hand LYKEN'S VALLEY RED ASH, EGG, STOVE AND NUT COAL; also WHITE ASH.

SAWED AND SPLIT WOOD. A. S. PERPENER, aug 4-3m

SELLING OFF AT COST previous to removal to 96 King street, aug 4 FERGUSON'S HAIR DEPOT.

BARGAINS AT FERGUSON'S HAIR DEPOT previous to removal to 96 King street, aug 4

FORS. J. A. SUITS. WEST POINT CADET CLOTH Just received. D. F. WITMER CO., je 22

500 JAPANESE FANS just received and for sale at 5c a piece at No. 147 King street. W. F. BROOKES, je 9

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER, sure cure for Dyspepsia, for sale by HENRY COOK & CO., 107 King street, je 30

HAIR, Tooth, Nail, Cloth, Hat, Shoe and Paint BRUSHES.—A carefully selected stock of the above can be seen at 107 King st. HENRY COOK & CO., je 25

GORDONVILLE BROOMS. Three-string Hurlis and four-string do. of this make just received by CHAS. S. TAYLOR Jr., je 13

LE COCKS, for ice boxes and kegs, of best quality, just received and for sale at No. 88 King street, corner Royal. J. T. CRIGHTON & SON, je 3

ANOTHER SUPPLY OF BEDFORD AND CONGRESS WATER received by W. FRANKLIN CRIGHTON, 85 King street, je 25

LITTLE GIANT and GENEVA FLUTING IRONS. Samples just received at No. 88 King street, corner Royal, and for sale by J. T. CRIGHTON & SON, je 2

BODEMER'S ALKALINE EFFERVESCENT APERIENT, equal to Tarrant's, at one half the price, just received at 107 King st. HENRY COOK & CO., je 20

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On Monday evening, August 3, 1874, a PINK CAMEO SLEEVE BUTTON. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at this office. aug 4-3*

STRAYED OR STOLEN from the subscriber, on Saturday evening, August first, one MATESE KITTEN, about two thirds grown. A suitable reward will be paid for her return, or information that will lead to her recovery. [aug 3 3c] E. E. DOWNHAM.

PROPOSALS.

NOTICE TO COAL DEALERS. Sealed proposals will be received until August 8th for the furnishing of forty, with the privilege of fifty, tons (2240 lbs.) CHESTNUT COAL for the use of the Public Schools. The coal must be of first quality, free from all impurities stored without extra cost, and delivered as ordered by the School Board.

JOSEPH HOPKINS, Chairman School Houses and Furniture, aug 4-4t City School Board.

EXCURSIONS.

GRAND EXCURSION TO CARLIN SPRINGS. The GERMAN BENEVOLENT SOCIETY will give a Grand Excursion to the above named popular resort on

THURSDAY, AUGUST 6th. COOK'S BAND has been engaged for the occasion. Committee of Arrangements.

J. Bohraus, H. Herberner, G. Bossart, O. Yount, F. Melchur, C. Brill, Floor Managers.